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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 2-3 as follows:

It is a particular object of the present invention to provide solution to the above ~~problems problems~~~~problematics~~ by the combination of the features described herein. Further advantageous embodiments of the present invention should be apparent from the description below.

Please amend the abstract as follows:

A tube-type vortex reducer conducts ~~for the conduction of~~ cooling air in a compressor (1) of a gas turbine, ~~with radial~~ Radial secondary air tubes (2) ~~are~~being arranged in a disk interspace (5) and attached to a compressor disk (3) with their radial outward end sections, ~~wherein the~~ The end sections of the secondary air tubes (2) are attached to a separate carrier ring (6), which is connected to a compressor disk (3).

~~{Fig-3}~~